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REV. BALL INTRODUCED TO CONGREGATION

CROSSFIELD—Rev. Ball, Crossfield's new United Church minister, was introduced officially to members of the congregation Thursday, June 28. Present, to bring a few words were Rev. Preston MacLeod of Knox United Church, Calgary, and Mr. Robinson of the Calgary Presbytery.



AVERAGING 665 m.p.h., Michael Cooper-Slipper piloted a Sabre jet plane from Toronto to Montreal in 26 minutes, 34 seconds. It's the fastest city-to-city flight on record but to the pilot it was "just routine."

MADDERN MURMURS

CROSSFIELD — The Ladies' Club met Wednesday at the home of Mrs. N. King, and took the form of a general birthday party, wherein all paid dues and enjoyed a delicious lunch with a big birthday cake. Each guest received a fancy pot holder.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Irwin have as their guests Mr. and Mrs. Len Thompson, of Abernethy, Sask. Mr. Thompson specializes in the art and creation of fishing flies and spoons.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Hamilton and Bob Fairbairn spent the weekend at Pine Lake.

The school picnic was held Friday afternoon last, with free ice cream for all, a delicious picnic lunch, races and games of all sorts were played.

Mr. and Mrs. Doug Havens visited with the latter's mother, Mrs. Hubbard, at Lethbridge. Mrs. Hubbard is in poor health.

Honored On Birthday

CROSSFIELD—Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fox entertained for their son, Gordon, on his twenty-first birthday. The invited guests included Mr. and Mrs. Mervin Fox, Donald Laut, Bob Rowat, Elden Stafford and Lawrence Lilley, who were taken to Calgary to dine at the Commodore, and then all were treated to a show. To finish the pleasant evening, Mrs. Fox invited the guests back to her Crossfield home to partake of a tasty midnight lunch.

At the Churches

CROSSFIELD BAPTIST CHURCH

Minister: Rev. J. W. MacDonald
Services

Sunday Service	11:00 a.m.
Sunday School	12:00 noon
Prayer Service, Thurs.	3:30 p.m.
Junior, Fri.	7:00 p.m.
Young People's, Fri.	8:00 p.m.
Church Service and Sunday School	9:00 p.m.
Dog Pound	3:00 p.m.
Mr. View Service	7:30 p.m.

Mrs. Anderson Feted By Church Groups

CROSSFIELD — On Tuesday, June 26, Mrs. Bert Lilley entertained in her home on behalf of the choir ladies, the Senior W.A. and Avanti group, at a little gathering in honor of Mrs. (Rev.) Anderson, who is leaving with her husband and daughter to take up residence in Odgen, where Mr. Anderson will serve as pastor in the United Church.

Over thirty persons were present and Mrs. Anderson, with ten other ladies, was seated at a flower-decked table, whilst Mrs. Stillings and Mrs. Ed. Fox, both presidents of the Senior and Junior W.A., presided over the tea urns. The rest of the guests were served buffet style to a delicious lunch provided by the associations.

Mrs. Anderson, on behalf of the Avanti group, was presented with a child's gift. The presentation was made by Mrs. Edith Stillings, who spoke words of appreciation and gratitude for all the fine work done by Mrs. Anderson during her four years in Crossfield. On behalf of the Senior W.A. Mrs. Lilley made a similar presentation of matching china, voicing the regrets of all present at having to part with one whom they held very dear.

Mrs. Charney organist and school superintendent, on behalf of her little girls, presented Mrs. Anderson with another piece of matching china. Mrs. Anderson responded suitable to each gift and kindly words, and expressed her pleasure at being so close to Crossfield, and extended a hearty invitation to all to visit her in her new home.

Mr. Frank Collicut To Open Stampede

Mr. Frank Collicut, who with his wife and family lived in Crossfield for over 30 years, until their retirement in Calgary a few years ago, will have the honor of opening the Stampede this year. The Collicuts also celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary last week.

end at Cave River and Raven River. He caught a 1 lb. trout.

Mr. and Mrs. Belshaw and the Marsdens are anticipating a trip to the coast.

Mr. Tommie Bland left Saturday last for a short vacation.

Dave Gilson has passed a mechanics course and is established in work in a Calgary garage.



—Photo by Brander Studio.

PREMIER E. C. MANNING last week officially opened the new British-American Oil Refinery east of Edmonton and is seen here congratulating W. K. Whiteford, company president. Premier Manning said "the end of oil development is nowhere in sight and Alberta is still making records in all respects".

Edmonton Transit Beats Calgary Golfers At Sylvan

SYLVAN LAKE — Edmonton Transit defeated Calgary Transit by a one point margin at a golf tournament here over the week-end.

Edmonton was given the Seachery trophy via virtue of their win.

Low net—B. Graham, Edmonton; A. Caldwell, Calgary (tie); Low gross—C. Pascoe, Calgary, T. Lewis, Edmonton (tie); Most pars—R. Graham, Edmonton, C. Pascoe, and D. Angus, Calgary (tie); Most birdies—T. Lewis, H. Phalen, Edmonton, E. Pascoe (tie).

High gross (ladies)—Marg Brown, Edmonton; high gross (men)—O. Olafson, Calgary; low net (ladies)—Miss J. Morley, Edmonton; low gross (ladies)—Mrs. C. Watt, Edmonton.

Oldest golfer—J. MacDonald, Calgary; most honest golfer—Jack Gates, Edmonton; most sportsmanlike golfer—T. Seachard, Calgary.

A banquet, with 65 in attendance, wound up the tourney.

No Relief Seen From Mosquitoes

The mosquito plague, already bad, will probably grow worse before summer is over, according to the Alberta Department of Public Health.

Abnormal snow and rainfall have dotted the entire province with miniature lakes in which mosquitoes can breed by the trillions.

But it is too late to start a control program this year, said J. H. Brown, provincial entomologist.

"Cities, towns and villages should organize mosquito abatement districts where proper organization and long range control plans could be established. Starting a control campaign when mosquitoes are plentiful is both ridiculous and expensive," he added.

Bank Sponsoring Essay Contest For School Students

What do teen-agers think of banks and banking? To find out, the 315,000 students of Canada's public high schools have been invited to submit essays in a prize contest sponsored by The Bank of Nova Scotia.

Offering \$5,000 in cash awards, the bank is seeking opinions on "The Bank As a Partner In My Community." All Canadian boys and girls who have attended public schools in Canada during 1951 are eligible, and essays will be judged, province by province. Ten winners will be named in each province; best of the ten provincial winners' essays will entitle its young author to a trip to Toronto where he will attend the opening of The Bank of Nova Scotia's new executive building, now nearing completion at King and Bay Streets, Toronto.

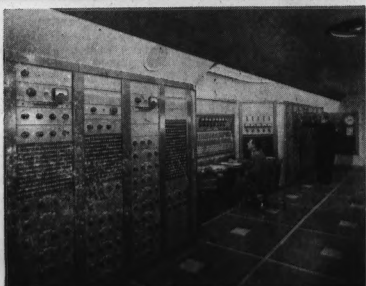
Announcement of the contest is timed to reach public high school students before they leave classes for the summer, but late enough not to conflict with their June examinations. The contest closes July 30, and the winners will be announced on August 15.

Entries should be sent to President, The Bank of Nova Scotia, Toronto.

Timber Wolves Attacking Cattle

STAVELY, Alta.—(BUP)—Timber wolves or gray wolves are attacking cattle in this area with the carcasses of four victims being found so far.

One animal was still alive when found, with part of its hind-quarters torn away by wolves who had hamstringed the animal.



MOST MODERN on the continent, the new Master Control in the CBC's Radio Canada building in Montreal also carries the heaviest load. Capable of handling five transmitters, eight outgoing networks, seven incoming networks and 26 studios, it is designed for operation by one man.

EDITORIAL PAGE

Wheat Prices and Bread Prices

The whole milling and baking industry has come in for a round of censure over the recent modest increase of 6 cents per bushel in the price of wheat to the producer.

The industry, apparently, was ready to increase the price of a loaf of bread by one cent, while paying only one-ninth of a cent extra for the wheat that goes into it. Typical of the criticism voiced is the following from the Calgary Albertan:

The 6-cent increase in the price of wheat was followed instantly by announcements of actual or pending increases in the price of flour and bread. The 20-ounce loaf sold in Calgary for 13 cents will probably go up to 14 cents.

We have no particular objection to changes in the price of bread. If real competition exists, it can be assumed the price is competitive and therefore fair.

But let's be careful about how that bread price increase is explained.

The Canadian Wheat Board and the milling industry have a rule of thumb that 4½ bushels of wheat make 196 pounds of flour. And most bakeries find that 100 pounds of flour are needed for 150 pounds of bread or 120 20-ounce loaves. According to our figuring that works out to about 1.1 pounds of wheat for a loaf of bread.

With wheat costing 6 cents a bushel more, that means that 1.1 pounds of wheat cost .11 cents more. It means that the farmer will get one-ninth of a cent more for each loaf of bread. Yet the price will go up a full cent. Who will get the other eight-ninths of a cent?

Some bakers point out that their other costs have gone up too. Other ingredients are more expensive, labor rates are higher.

Assuming that the full cent increase is justified, let the consumer remember that only a ninth of it is due to the increased cost of wheat. Any attempts to explain higher bread prices solely or even largely in terms of higher wheat prices should be branded for what they are—a plain deception.

Fortunately, the dominion government has foreseen this attempted gouging of the public by the baking and milling industries. The government will not charge the extra 6 cents per bushel to the domestic users of wheat. The increased cost will no doubt come as a subsidy from the dominion treasury, but as everyone eats bread, everyone will be paying the extra cost accordingly. And only one-ninth of a cent instead of a full one-cent increase in price, which the baking and milling profiteers would like to charge.

No Chance For Normal Lives

Recognizing that many Americans would sacrifice their country's position of leadership in world affairs for the comfortable isolation that existed before World War I, Prime Minister Louis St. Laurent, of Canada, recently told the graduates of Northwestern University that they would never know "normal" lives if that meant being without worry about the problems of the rest of the human race.

The Prime Minister asserted that, on the course of the U.S.A., "the fate of all mankind largely depends." As the "dominant factor in the free world," which faces the "most forbidding prospect of more than a hundred years," the great task of statesmanship is to maintain "a balance" between the free and Communist worlds without war.

In the end, declared the speaker, there must be a free world or a world in chains.

Expressing confidence that the United States would not fail to mobilize its moral and material resources to meet the world crisis, just as it did twice before to uphold freedom, our Canadian statesman warned against listening to those who urged striking now against Russia's military power, those who urge that "it is better to go it alone and take the consequences," and those "Communist fellow-travellers who urge other nations to remain neutral in the big-power conflict."

Note and Comment

Nature does her best to persuade mankind that this is a pleasant earth.

There may be nothing new under the sun but the present generation is seeing it for the first time.

The Lighter Side Of Lawmaking

By T. W. PUE

Last week another session of Parliament closed, and though I haven't read much of Hansard or noticed a great deal of comment about it anywhere, I imagine both Houses had their share of the funny bits, the ridiculous and the absurd. Out of the usually dull and sometimes grim debating comes a bit of laughter and merriment.

R. B. Bennett, as Opposition Leader, could pack members in on both sides of the House of Commons by his ready wit and snappy repartee. But his old antagonist, Mr. King, would frequently end a lively discussion with a simple observation that left no room for reply.



T. W. PUE

HAIR TO COMB

There was the time, for instance, when a Conservative member, balding type, was taking the Liberals to task for high taxes. That was back in 1936, but even at that time Opposition members thought taxes were high. He accused Mr. King of taxing everything that could be taxed, suggesting in derision that the only thing left untaxed was the right to comb one's hair.

Amid howls of laughter, Mr. King replied simply: "The Hon. Member would be very fortunate if he had any hair to comb."

SAILING A BOAT

I told that story to J. E. Matthews, who was Liberal member from Brandon, Manitoba, from 1937 until his death early this year. Mr. Matthews said he could top it with one of his own.

Older readers of this column will remember Hon. H. H. Stevens, who was a Minister in the Bennett Conservative regime, 1930 to 1935. He broke with Bennett and formed his own "Reconstruction" party which in the 1935 election helped assure defeat of the Conservatives. But he was re-elected himself, and in the House shortly after was telling Mr. King how he should sail the ship of state through the then troubled waters of depression, rising Hitlerism and the Ethiopian crisis. In the midst of telling Mr. King he should travel around the country and see how bad conditions were, he was obliged to stop talking when a Liberal back-bencher advised him "Aw, sit down. You scuttled one ship!"

WHEN RUFUS WASN'T THERE

Readers will no doubt be familiar with the parliamentary system of "pairing off." When a member of one party "pairs off" with a member of another party, it is agreed that in case either is unable to be in the house during a vote, his opposite will not vote. This same system holds forth in the U.S. Congress in Washington.

According to George Dixon, columnist in the Chicago Daily News, wonderful memories of one of the greatest bellylaughs ever to disrupt solemn Senate procedure came flooding back when former Senator Rufus Holman, Ore., paid a return visit to the Capitol.

The Republican, Mr. Holman, retired from the Senate in 1945, but his name often comes up in the story of the great guffaw, which probably will be retold as long as there is a person with any sense of humor left in Washington.

Mr. Holman never intended to be funny. But he rendered the Senate almost helpless with hysterical laughter. Here's what happened.

The serious-visaged solon, his pan as solemn as usual, arose to announce he was pairing off in the voting with (the late) Senator Theodore G. Bilbo, Mississippi.

Clearing his throat importantly, Mr. Holman proclaimed:

"If Senator Bilbo were here he would vote 'aye'. And if I were here I would vote 'no'."

The bellows of laughter told him something was wrong, so he got up again.

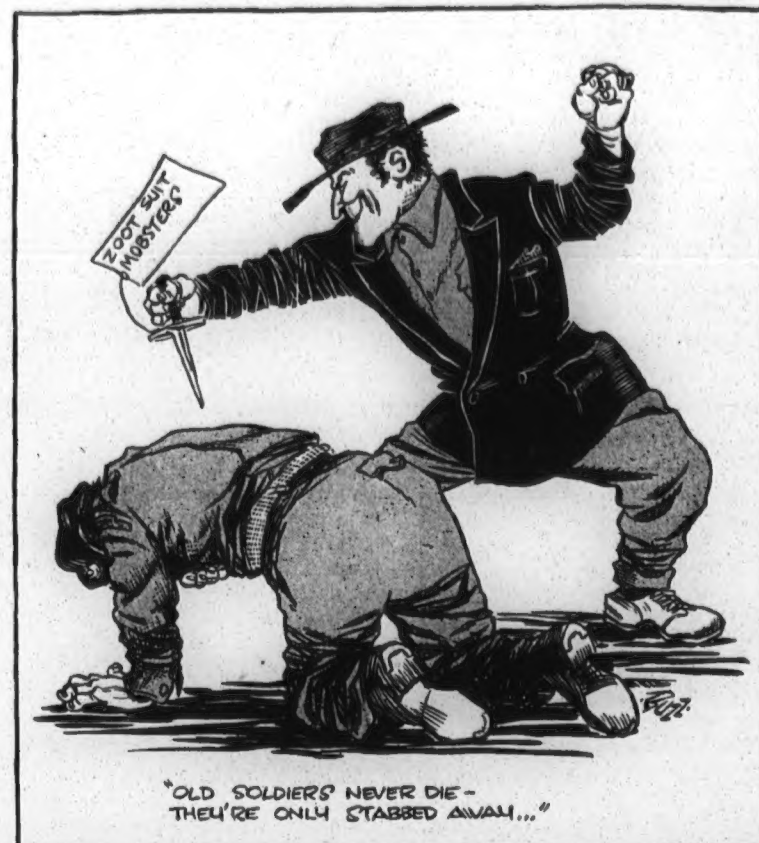
"What I meant to say," he amended, "was that if Senator Bilbo were here he would vote 'no' and if I were here I would vote 'aye'."

Then the roof fell in.

Do Cows See Dentist Twice a Year?

Perhaps cows, too, should see their dentist twice a year. If a cow is having trouble digesting her food, or even eating it, her teeth may be at fault. One of the country's leading veterinarians recently pointed out that stockmen and veterinarians should be on the lookout for bovine dental troubles.

One cow refused to eat, and while the vet was checking her throat he sliced his finger on a sharp tooth. When the tooth was repaired the cow went back to her normal eating habits. Cows normally have good teeth for the job at hand, but the animals' teeth should not be ruled out as a source of trouble.



Brawls between servicemen and youths in Edmonton recently pose an alarming symptom in Alberta life. Is Alberta's younger generation destined for such cowardly behavior as that shown above?

Voice of the People

"VOX POPULI, VOX DEI"

SEXY BOOK JACKETS

Dear Sir—Who says sex hasn't got a lot to do with whether a book will be a best-seller? Recently I had a copy of Rosemond Marshall's "Laird's Choice". I removed the jacket and then asked several people if they wanted to read it. Several flipped idly through the pages and murmured, "I don't think I'd enjoy this kind of book." So then I replaced the sexy jacket and went to lunch. When I got back five people were fighting to read the book!

Edmonton

CLERK

LEGAL AID

Dear Sir—Now that the doctors are getting their own medical insurance plan organized, I suggest the legal profession should do something to contribute to the general good. Why can't they organize some kind of legal aid to people who can't afford legal advice in times of need? Or is the full measure of British justice available only to those able to pay for it?

Oneway ONE WHO KNOWS

POOR MAN'S CHANCE

Dear Sir—I was quite angered by that letter I saw in your paper a little while ago running you down. My goodness, everybody knows editors make mistakes because they're only human, too. Just the same, there's no need to talk like that character did. Why, doesn't he know that newspapers are the poor man's university?

Lac la Biche

STEADY READER

CONTROLLING WAGES

Dear Sir—In answer to demands for price control, business and the government is telling us we'd have to have controls on wages as well. That's no doubt intended to discourage the working class who want a stop put to the rising cost of living. All I can say is that you can't control wages unless you control the cost of living. Just the other way around, eh!

Edmonton

SALARY MAN

HYPO FOR VOTERS

Dear Sir—Everybody knows we would get better government if all the people turned out and voted—that way we'd knock the props from under machine politics. I suggest that each voter be given a small slip of paper, to be signed and deposited in a container after he casts his ballot. Then have a drawing, with substantial prizes donated by Boards of Trade or any civic or business group. This program should increase the vote appreciably.

Edmonton.

OSCAR.

WHEAT PRICES, POLITICS

Dear Sir—Two weeks ago, the Wheat Board put up the price of wheat six cents, but one week later the domestic six cent boost was suddenly taken off. Who was it put the political pressure on Ottawa to gyp the farmers? Open market wheat as above grades are \$2.32. Will some wise guy tell us which of the above is straight price?

TOM POULSOM.

Rochford Bridge.

BIBLE GOD'S WORD

Dear Sir—If the Bible wasn't all inspired by God, what are we to cut out? Does Rev. Berry have the formula for dissecting the scriptures? II Timothy 3:16 says "All scripture is given by inspiration of God." The "Word of the Lord," "The Lord Said" and similar expressions are to be noted over 2,000 times in the Bible. If after reading these portions he still thinks the Bible is false, Mr. Berry should get a job selling soap—if he can!

Waskatenau. BELIEVER.

Dear Sir—I, too, read W. G. Berrys' denunciation of the Bible. Coming from a professed minister of the Gospel, this is somewhat surprising, although it illustrates very well the popular attitude toward the Old Book. In the days of our fathers it was revered as the Word of God, and believed to be divinely inspired and authoritative. Now we are told that it is a book of Oriental folklore, written thousands of years ago when practically nothing was known of science, and that it therefore contains many scientific inaccuracies. It is my conviction that if the Bible is either scientifically or historically inaccurate, it no longer bears the imprint of a revelation from God, and thus ceases to be an authority in matters of religion. The Bible cannot be religiously beneficial and scientifically false.

Toronto. L. A. WILCOX.

VIGOR IN VEGETABLES

Dear Sir—Someone who was complaining about the high cost of living said they needed a lot of meat to keep strong. Well, I clean my eight rooms every day and do hard physical work besides. And I don't need meat to carry on my strenuous activities. It's plain murder to be a meat-eater. No animal bodies enter mine. I am small and hard as a nail, and hope to live longer than G. B. Shaw.

Smoky Lake

BETTY

Spotlight on . . .

ALBERTA

A News Section About Alberta People,
Week Ending July 7, 1951



DEVON Oil Show will be a major success, in the opinion of the group seen here laying plans for the big event July 5, 6 and 7. Left, to right are Larry Burgess, manager, Exnile Latham, George McIvor, Lloyd Cunningham, Alex Hemstock, Mark Blain and Allan Carr. Show is sponsored by Devon Lions Club. See story next page.

Farming Big Business For Alberta Man; Costs Him \$2000 Daily To Plant Crop

CALGARY — (BUP) — Farming is big business for O. B. Lassiter, who estimates he spent about \$2,000 a day this spring to put in the crop on his farm 60 miles east of here.

Just how big a business Lassiter makes of tilling the soil is shown by a few figures on his farming operations:

Acreage: 4,500.
Initial expenditure: \$50,000.
Men: About 50.
Equipment: Seven caterpillar diesels, seven tractors.
Lassiter is a "dry-land farmer" who learned the tricks of the trade in California before he came to Alberta in 1917. He operates on soil that 30 years ago drove out hundreds of home-

steads who could not make a go of it.

The "super farmer" is seeding nearly seven square miles, most of it virgin soil. His methods may be unorthodox, but they are scientific.

Lassiter figures that the cost of operating on the rolling land, part of the old Sunshine Ranch, is 50 per cent higher than if it were level and without rocks. More than \$1 an acre is spent on rock removal.

He said it all is a question of methods, and admitted that farming in the dry area is a risky one. He said he felt, however, that proper methods and implements could overcome the lack of moisture.

Early farmers who ventured into the area failed because of their methods and because they farmed on too small an acreage, he believes.

Lassiter's method is best explained by reviewing the manner

in which he prepared the land and planted this year's crop.

The land was broken with 39-foot Graham-Hoene three-section plows last fall on a hooked from five different directions, then left to catch moisture during the winter.

Large crews of rock pickers then went to work and 16-foot double offset discs with double harrows behind broke the clods before seeding started with a new-type seed drill. Up to three double harrows were carried out after seeding.

Lassiter said he used the new Noble shoe-type press drill to "get the seed where it belongs in the firm, moist and clear seed bed." The seed is placed three inches down to take advantage of sub-surface moisture through capillary action.

The machine is being used for the first time in Alberta outside the testing ground of inventor C. S. Noble of Nobleford, Alta. It works on the principle of the old-fashioned shoe drill by dropping the seed deep in the ground through pipes.

The machine was planned as a follow-up to the Noble blade which cuts weed roots and loosens the top soil without disturbing the trash that keeps dry soil from drifting.

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Banff Laying Plans To Celebrate Indian Days

Indian tom-toms will beat out a welcome message from the lodges of the Stonys to thousands of visitors at the annual Indian Days celebration which will be held at Banff July 19 to July 22.

For the 52nd consecutive year, the Stonys, noted hunters of the mountain area, will leave their reservation 40 miles east of Banff for the overland trek to the mountain resort, and for four days they will entertain the visitors with displays of horsemanship, parades, cowboy contests, and horse races.

NATIVE CONCERTS

In the evenings, the Indians will present native concerts in the special outdoor auditorium at the Banff Springs Hotel. Dressed in their native beaded and buckskin outfits, men, women and children will take part in the program. They will sing their tribal dances, and as a grand wind-up every evening, they will invite their white friends to participate with them in the Owl Dance.

A lot of water has cascaded over Bow Falls since Bearsaw led his Stonys into Banff for the first Indian Days celebration back in 1889. Banff was but a hamlet then, and Calgarians who attended the unique event travelled from Calgary by train, which in those days was an adventure in itself.

Now, automobiles, trains, and airplanes bring visitors to Banff from all parts of the world for the four-day all-Indian celebration, which is rapidly becoming a "must" during the Canadian holiday season.

The Stampede and Rodeo contests, which is one of the features of the celebration, are held in the Buffalo Park, a mile east of the centre of the town. Here an Indian village blossoms almost overnight. The Stonys bring out their best ceremonial teepees and they are set up in a long line along the main 'street' of the village. A special section of the camp is set aside for visiting Indians, Sarcees from Calgary, Blackfoot from Gleichen, Bloods from Cardston, Crees from Hobbema, and northern Stonys from Nordegg.

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CANADIAN MAYORS devoted a large part of their time to study of housing problems at the recent gathering of the Canadian Federation of Mayors and Municipalities in London, Ont. Mayor S. Parsons represented Edmonton. Here Mayor Allan Rush of London is seen welcoming Alderman A. F. Proctor of Vancouver and Alderman S. Baggs, centre, of Hamilton.

Canadian Liberty Secure Without Bill of Rights

Generally speaking, there is no need for a written bill of rights in Canada, according to Wilbur F. Bowker, dean of the faculty of law at the University of Alberta.

He said that freedoms provided by the Magna Carta were protected "reasonably well" by the safeguards of the criminal code, although certain aspects of espionage cases could "give us pause".

Bowker listed freedom of speech, religion and assembly as the second group of basic freedoms, and added that they were generally accepted, although religious freedom was reported denied in some sections of the country.

The equality of all before the law is also generally accepted, he declared.

Bowker stressed that basic human freedoms vary from time to time and often conflict. He said written laws guaranteeing freedoms existing in Britain were not passed as abstract principles, but to meet specific and practical conditions.

He added that written guarantees of civil liberties in the United States have given the courts that country vast powers often made the Americans not enjoyed by Canadian courts. He said these guarantees have courts centres of controversy. However, he stated that Canadians could gain much by reading some of the judgments handed down by American courts.

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Site for Uranium City Selected in Northland

New uranium developments in the northland were reported in Edmonton Thursday as local mining men completed preparations to launch intensive development programs in an area believed to hold North America's richest source of uranium.

Pioneer's Picture Presented To U. of A.

The last photograph taken of Hon. Frank Oliver, founder of The Edmonton Bulletin, has been presented to the University of Alberta by his daughter, Mrs. J. J. Anderson, 9924 106 St.

The large framed picture will be hung in the rare book room at the campus library.

Mr. Oliver was one of the pioneers of the west. He passed away in 1932.

He has a grandson, Frank Oliver, who is at present a student at the university.

Mr. Oliver served as minister of the interior in Sir Wilfred Laurier's cabinet, and after retiring from politics he served as a member of the board of railway commissioners, now the department of transport.

He received an honorary degree of doctor of laws from the University in 1931.

Louis' jaw. He wasn't in the mood for his final bout in 1934, his first year as a professional and Louis knocked him cold to start the long road to the championship.

Al almost single-handedly ruined the professional boxing business in England in 1937 when he fought Maurice Strickland in a bout advertised for the British Empire heavyweight championship.

About 10 seconds before the round bell rang, Delaney apparently decided he wasn't in the mood and went on to participate in the most boring fight in British ring history.

He proved, however, that Strickland also was a bum, since the toast of London's cauliflower row couldn't knock him out in 10 rounds even with Al offering no resistance.

His career reached its nadir in Toronto in 1941 when he was matched with Bob Pastor. Bothered again by the road-blocks on his mental highways, Al back-pedaled, clowned and fell in a dead faint the first time Pastor took a swing at him.

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TRYGVE LIE, secretary-general of the United Nations, lauded Canada's part in the U.N. during a recent Ottawa visit. He said Canadians show more interest in United Nations than any other people.

Jack Dempsey Recovers From Hospital Operation

BALTIMORE—Former heavyweight champion Jack Dempsey spent his 56th birthday in Johns Hopkins hospital here Sunday. Dempsey underwent an operation June 16 for removal of an infection from the lower spine. Hospital spokesmen said he is coming along nicely.

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Parcel 413—L2D 3 8-27-24 W. 4 40 acres more or less (Cert. of Title 17-4-24)

Parcel 414—Pt. N.E. 1/4, 15-4-25 W. 1/4 14 acres more or less (Cert. of Title 181-5-49)

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Individual tenders are to be submitted in respect of each parcel.

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The offer, in each case must be accompanied by the full amount of the purchase price together with the rental at the rate of \$1.00 per acre for the first year, and the lease fee of \$8.00.

The purchase money, rental and lease fee must be in the form of a bank draft or certified cheque, payable to the Receiver General of Canada.

Tenders will be opened at Ottawa, Ontario, on July 28, 1951, at the close of business hours.

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Tenders should be in plain envelope marked "Tender for Petroleum and Natural Gas Rights Parcel"

Address for tenders and for further information should be obtained from the undersigned, Chief, Lands Division, Northern Development and Natural Resources, Ottawa, Ontario.

Dated at Ottawa, Ontario, This 11th day of June, 1951.

LETTER TO LOUISA

Girl Wrong In Asking Boy to Miss College

Dear Louisa: I am a high school girl and very much in love with a boy of my own age.

I would like to get married but this boy I am going with is planning to go to college and he will have to work to help pay his way. I have tried to persuade him to take a job when he finishes school so we won't have to wait four years.

Don't you think that he would do this if he really loved me?

SEVENTEEN.

Answer:

You are very foolish to try to persuade this young man to give up his chance for an education in order to take a job that he will be unhappy doing. After the first few months, he would probably be discontented and blame all the troubles that came his way on you.

To begin with he is certainly too young to take on the responsibility of a wife and family and while both of you may feel now that there will never be another person in your lives, it may be so and it may not!

At any rate, if you are both truly in love, you will stay that way, for a few years even though you are not married. On the other hand, if either of you realizes that you have grown apart and that your taste in your ideal of the other sex has changed, it will be much better to find it out before you are married than afterwards.

So many young people rush

into hasty marriages before they realize what they are doing. They are physically attracted by some boy or girl and forget that this is only one of many things that have to be considered if a marriage is to be a happy one.

A boy of seventeen is too young to marry and the fact that this boy has to depend on himself to make a living makes it even more unwise.

Be glad that your friend has sense enough to know the value of an education.

LOUISA.

Dear Louisa: I have two children eight and ten and I always try to be at home when they come from school. I think it is bad for children to come home to an empty house.

My friends think I am silly because I refuse invitations that keep me away. What do you think?

MOTHER.

Answer:

I agree with you that a child feels greater security when they know mother will be home when they arrive and I think, as a gen-

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eral rule, it is better to be there. However, when some unusual occasion arises, it may be well for you to explain why you have to be away. You may have a neighbor or a relative you can depend on, if they could help.

I think parents should take their responsibilities seriously but not make slaves of themselves.

LOUISA.

Dear Louisa,

My husband is a minister and although he wears a saintly look before his congregation, he is a mean, stingy, unchristian man. I never have a dollar to spend and he has tried to goad me into get-

ting a divorce so that he can say I deserted him, but I am sticking it out on account of the children. I am almost crazy.

Wife.

Answer:

There are none so vile as those who abuse their families and appear holy where they are in the public eye.

If you have to stay with him, try to make the best of it and have as little bickering as possible for your children's sake.

LOUISA.

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Labor, Management Clash On 40-Hour-Week Plan

Labor representatives proposing a 40-hour, five-day week for Alberta Monday met solid opposition from management representatives at the second bi-annual labor-management conference here.

Object of the conference was to review the Alberta Labor Act and hear views of both industry and labor. Chairman was Dr. J. L. Robinson, Minister of Industry and Labor.

Labor representatives proposed

a 40-hour week to replace the present 48-hour, six-day work week in the Alberta Labor Act. They said a shorter work week would increase production by providing needed leisure for employees.

Management representatives opposed the suggestion on grounds it would constitute Government interference in the field of collective bargaining.

They said Provincial and Federal Governments urged increased production for the defence emergency and this could be obtained only by longer working hours.

The management representatives also stated that shorter hours would add to the cost of living and that some workers on 40-hour weeks in Alberta take other jobs on their days off.

Dr. Robinson said the question was one the Government must now decide itself.

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Host: "Oh, that's a moose."
Scotsman: "A moose! Eh, mon, what are your rats like over here?"

In a Daze
"How did the Smith wedding go off?"
"Fine, until the parson asked the bride if she'd obey her husband."

"What happened then?"
"She replied, 'Do you think I'm crazy,' and the groom who was in a sort of daze, replied, 'I do.'"

One Method
"Could you give me a recipe for cold tomato soup?"
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Chemical Boom Seen Result Oil Discovery

Vast "imminent" developments involving \$80,000,000 in Alberta's chemical industry were predicted by J. E. Oberholzer, deputy minister of industries and labor for Alberta, in an address to the Canadian Chemical conference at the University of Manitoba.

"A number of current happenings have combined to bring about the decisions of various companies to extend chemical production in Alberta."

"The discovery and rapid development of the Alberta oil fields is the key item," the deputy minister said.

Some developments planned or underway, he said, were:

1. Development by the Canadian Salt Company to produce about 20 tons of chlorine a day and 24 tons of caustic soda.

2. The celanese Corporation of America's Canadian Chemical Company plant at Edmonton to produce cellulose acetate and various chemicals.

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More than a million dollars worth of oil industry equipment will be displayed at the Devon Oil Show, July 5, 6 and 7th, according to Larry Burgess, who is managing the show for the Devon Lions' Club, under the direction of a committee of oilmen.

Over 60 various oil firms who want to exhibit their equipment, have reserved lots on the display grounds of Canada's first major oil show.

Every phase of the oil industry covering exploration, geology, seismograph, drilling and production will be displayed during the day, by leading supply companies and oil industry personnel. Exhibit grounds open at 10:00 a.m.

NEW STADIUM

An amphitheatre, unique in Canada, with seating capacity of more than 5,000, will be completed in time to provide entertainment in the evening and accommodate the thousands of visitors expected at the oil show.

In keeping with the significance of the event, the theatre will be lighted by a natural gas flare, spiralling out of the centre and the name "Flare Pit" has been adopted.

Entertainment highlights to be presented in the Flare Pit will include a musical entitled "Varieties of '51" (revised production). The show, booked for Thursday night, July 5, includes a cast of 23 performers taken from the popular varieties of '48, '49, '50 and '51. It is under the direction of Miss Marie Wilce, and features a song written by her specially for the occasion entitled "Oil Millionaires".

Wrestling is the feature enter-

tainment attraction Friday night, July 6. Al Oeming, promoter, is bringing in a full card, which includes a 60 minute main event, 2 out of 3 falls, between Earl McCready, Sask. and Tiger Joe Marsh, Chicago.

In a supporting 45 minute, 2 out of 3 fall event, Chief Thunderbird, of Saanach, B.C., meets Con Bruno, of Brooklyn. There will be a special event with Carl Grey, Seattle, versus Stu Hart, Edmonton, in a 30 minute one fall contest.

The big entertainment feature Saturday night, July 7, is professional boxing. Promoter Jack Berry, is providing a card on which the main event will be a contest between the winners of the forthcoming George Dunn vs. Nicky Smith fight and Ernie Kenick vs. Benny Geary.

In Edmonton, June 29. An all star card of 8 or 4 preliminary bouts will support the main event.

Devon's \$40,000 swimming pool will be open during the three days and will feature midnight swims.

DANCING NIGHTLY

There will be dancing every night, and a midway including rides for the kiddies will be open throughout the afternoons and evenings.

The new Devon bridge which has been in use for some time will be officially opened Friday, July 6, at 1:45 p.m.

The event is sponsored by the Devon Lions Club with all proceeds going to charity. It is expected that 50,000 people will see the Oil Show. Approximately 150 Devon ladies have been organized under the "Devonettes" to cater with lunches, refreshments, etc.

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STRATFORD, Ont.—(BUP)—If there's any jealousy in police constable Herman Roth's family it lies between a spaniel, a red fox and a cat for the affections of the cat's two kittens.

All three vie with one another to look after the furry mites, and Roth says tempers have worn thin but never been lost in the sharp competition.

The kittens make their home in a large basket close to the kitchen stove. Most of the time the spaniel lies with them, growing at the fox and mother cat when either approaches.

The cat and fox have struck up a sort of "outsider's" gang-up against the spaniel and refuse to associate. They dash madly for the kittens' basket when the dog leaves.

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